

Council Candidates Reach 14

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turned to California when six weeks old and completed his elementary and secondary education in the Whittier public schools. He later attended business school in Los Angeles and has taken night courses in plant management at Southern University.

Heads Investment Firm
Smith also is president of the Torrance Holding Co., a real estate and oil investment firm composed of local individuals.

He was baptized in the Christian Church of Whittier.

During his years with the Union Tool Co. and National Supply Co., Smith has been active in the company's management club, and has served that organization as president.

He lives with his wife at 1108B Cravens.

Certain to be a formidable candidate among those seeking election to the Torrance city council is Walter A. "Gary" Garrabrant, prominent civic leader and pioneer builder in the Hollywood Riviera section of Torrance.

Eighty Respected

Garrabrant, former president of the Redondo Beach Rotary Club and the Hollywood Riviera Home Owners Assn., is regarded as one of the most highly respected and able citizens of the community.

In addition to his many activities within his home community, Garrabrant has served as president of the Bay area chapter of the Building Contractors Assn. of California. Only recently he was re-named to serve a second term as a member of the board of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce.

Agency Head

Before coming to California,



FRANK FROHNHOEFER
... Adds Name to List



ROBERT JAHN
... Hat's in Ring

the city council candidate operated the National Advertising Agency in Kansas City, Mo., and had close identification with real estate and industrial development in Texas. He moved to Hollywood Riviera in 1947 where he built some of the first homes and apartments in the post war boom that resulted in the almost complete development of that section of the city.

He resides with his wife at 805 Camino De Las Colinas. Mr. and Mrs. Garrabrant have three daughters, one of whom, Mrs. Max L. Vantine, also resides in Hollywood Riviera. A second daughter, Jean, is a program director for the USO in Los Angeles and a third resides in Burbank. There are four grandchildren.

On Commission
Jahn, an original member of the Airport Commission as it was set up here last week, lives with his wife, Berta, and three children, Brian, 6; Barton, 4; and Beverly Gayle, 3 months. He is a native of Illinois where he was born in 1922. He attended public schools there and was graduated from Lee Center (Ill.) High School in 1940 and attended Monmouth College in Illinois for two years where he took general engineering courses.

Coming to Los Angeles in 1942, he was employed as a carpenter for Universal International Studios, until his enlistment in the Air Corps. He served in England and the European Theater as an engineer-gunner on B-17s and was honorably discharged in 1945.

Overs Contracting Firm
After leaving the service, he attended Pepperdine College, and SC's University College where he continued engineering

studies. He was employed with the Department of Building and Safety in Los Angeles County for five years from 1947 as a building inspector and during two years of that time, attended Southwestern University Law School at night. He moved to Torrance in 1951 and started his own contracting firm in 1952.

He is a member of the American Legion and has been Post Commander and District Commander of southwest Los Angeles. He is a member of the Redondo Beach Elks and the Torrance Lions Club, and has taken an active part in the Hollywood Riviera Home owners group, of which he is vice president.

Holds Top Honors
A 35-year-old veteran of World War II who holds several of the nation's top military honors, Frohnhoefer has lived in Torrance since 1935.

Prior to the war he was in the restaurant business in Long Beach. During the war he served as an infantryman in the famous American Division at the opening of the Pacific War in the Solomons and through the Philippine Islands, winning the highly coveted Silver Star and Bronze Star among other decorations.

He now is owner and general manager of the Credit Protection Service, believed to be the city's only collection agency, and is actively associated in the photography industry throughout the entire Southern California area.

Frohnhoefer lives with his wife, Irene, and two daughters, Francine and Melody at 1118 Hickory Ave.

Lutheran Church to Add Educational Unit

Hollywood Riviera art jury last week approved plans submitted by the Lutheran Church of the Restoration for a new educational unit to be built at the church.

Included in the plans will be six classrooms, an office, and other facilities.

The Lutheran Church, located at 350 Falos Verdes Blvd., has its own Lutheran school and is adding units as its building program permits. Pastor of the church is Rev. Lyle Gangel.

Obituaries

Lillian M. Dye

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Feb. 14, at Stone and Myers Chapel for Lillian M. Dye, 79, past matron of the Torrance Order of the Eastern Star, who died Feb. 11 at her home. Cremation followed at Pacific Crest.

Rev. Leonard Babcock and members of the OES conducted the final rites. Mrs. Dye was initiated into OES in 1902 and was recently presented her 50 year membership pin.

She was matron of the Torrance OES in 1936. She was also active in the First Christian Church and had lived in Torrance since 1924.

Born
She was born Sept. 14, 1875, in Missouri and was married Feb. 11, 1899. Mrs. Dye is survived by her brother, Dr. Arthur P. Stevenson, and two nieces, Mrs. Hal Smith and Mrs. Pete Colombo. She had three great nephews and one great niece all of whom live in the Torrance area.

Before her death Mrs. Dye was active in the Torrance Betsy Ross Club.

Her home was at 1417 El Prado St.

James O. Cook

Services will be held today at 2 p.m. at Stone and Myers Chapel for James O. Cook, 45, 1755 Dale St., Torrance, who died Feb. 13.

Rev. Gilbert Zimmerman of St. Mark's Community Methodist Church will conduct the final rites and burial will follow at Inglewood Park Cemetery.

Mr. Cook, a resident of Torrance for 5 years prior to his

death, is survived by his wife, Frances; three daughters, Wanda, Janice, and Marsella; one son, Jim; and his father and two sisters.

Archie S. Woolley

Funeral mass was held Tuesday morning at Nativity Church for Archie S. Woolley, 68, of Wilmington, who died recently as a result of an auto accident.

Mr. Woolley, a native of Colorado, had resided in Wilmington for 10 years. He was employed by Standard Oil Co. in San Pedro.

Rosary was recited Monday night at Halverson-Leavell Mortuary. Rev. Patrick McGuinness officiated at final rites.

Interment followed final church services, at All Souls Cemetery in Long Beach.

Employer of Standard Oil acted as pallbearers.

A veteran of World War I and a member of the Moose Lodge of San Pedro, he is survived by his widow, Hazel, of Wilmington; three sons, Eddy J. Smith, of Colorado; Robert L. Smith, of Arabia; and Ronald G. Smith, of Salinas; and five daughters, Mrs. Gloria Violette, of Boston, Mass.; Mrs.

Minnie D. Toljen, of Hermosa Beach; Mrs. Alma Horton, of Los Angeles; Mrs. Frances Lingo, of South Gate; and Mrs. Jeanette Middleton, of Wilmington.

Dale Robin Taylor

Private inurnment for Dale Robin Taylor, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor, 826 Patronella Ave., was held at Pacific Crest Cemetery Monday under the direction of the Hardin and Flanagan Mortuary. The child died at birth in Bay Cities Hospital, Hawthorne, Friday.

Besides his parents, the child is survived by a brother, Charles T. Taylor, 12; maternal grandmother, Mrs. Minnie L. Shockley, of 4227 W. 147th St., Lawndale; and paternal grandfather, Charles H. Taylor, 227 W. 108th St.

The infant's father is a salesman for the Alport Lumber Co. of 4247 Redondo Beach Blvd., and the mother is currently on leave from Douglas Aircraft Co.

Page Globetrotters Win
Jack Golphines, tallied 20 points Saturday to lead the Globetrotters to an easy, 66-21, win over the Bullpups in the initial game of the elementary boys' Northern Cage League at Carr School.

Johnny Comer and Butch Al-villar tied for high point honors for the Pups, each getting six.

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